

**TOWN OF GRANBY
GRANBY PREVENTION COUNCIL
MINUTES
September 2, 2014**

PRESENT: Kerry Kielbasa, Captain William Tyler; Steve Vernale; Jeffrey Rackliff, Holly Johnson, Pat Law, Annemarie Cox

ABSENT: Pastor Al Royal; Kathy Sutton, Aaron DeLaRoche, David Tolli, Jennifer Kertanis, Jean Keating, Deborah Lindsey-Lombardi, Lori Blackburn

Annemarie Cox called the meeting to order at 6:06 p.m.

PUBLIC SESSION

None

MINUTES

On a Motion, Annemarie Cox, seconded by Jeff Rackliff the council approved the minutes of May 5th, 2014 as written. (4-0-0)

ACCEPTANCE OF CONSENT AGENDA

Nothing Pending

SUB-COMMITTEE REPORTS

a. Governance:

Kerry Kielbasa opened this discussion stating that several council member terms are due to expire. Upcoming changes to the roster will include:- Captain William Tyler will be replaced with Officer Steven Vernale; Kathy Sutton will be replaced with Linda Toullette.

Secondly, Ms. Kielbasa stated that it makes sense to combine the GPC and the YSB. In previous years these two committees were one, working under the YSB umbrella. The GPC branched off as a separate committee to accommodate a Drug Free Community Grant. This grant, however, will not be reapplied for again in the foreseeable future. Pat Law and Kerry will meet to review how the by-laws need to change in order to consolidate the GPC with the YSB.

b. Events—No Report

c. Marketing—No Report

OLD BUSINESS

Annemarie Cox is working with the Town Managers office to determine the insurance logistics of offering a Zombie Run. Pat Law suggested that the Zombie Run may be a good project for the *Senior Class Project* at the High School. Annmarie Cox asked Jeff Rackliff if he could pull together 5 – 6 fellow classmates who would be interested in brainstorming the structure of this event.

NEW BUSINESS

Annemarie Cox stated that Scott Driscoll from State Capital Regional Police will be giving a presentation on cyber-safety in September (for students) and October 21st (for parents) in the Middle School cafeteria.

Annemarie Cox is coordinating with the High School and the State Narcotics Task Force a workshop just for parents on the signs to watch out for with drug use and paraphernalia.

ADJOURNMENT

On a Motion by Annemarie Cox, seconded by Captain William Tyler, to adjourn this meeting at 6:27 p.m. (4-0-0-)

Respectfully submitted,

Patricia Tappenden

Recording Secretary on Behalf of Daphne Shinder